



CENTERVILLE

City News

Serving the Citizens of Centerville, Utah

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Mayor's Message

Wow! Autumn is here and with it comes the crisp evenings which bring us beautiful fall colors. Before we forget, I want to look back and remember this "summer of service." Many road projects took place. During the last two summers we have been able to have two of our three major North/South roads resurfaced, with the third having some underground projects completed in preparation for a resurfacing to come. Without fail it seems, just as one project is completed, "Murphy's Law" takes over and on July 11, a waterline ruptured on Main Street and 1200 North. The morning found our crews deep in mud and water, diligently working to fix the broken waterline. A little over 100 residents were without water for a few hours, but that was all. You can't help but reflect how many people in the world have no running clean water. How blessed we are to have it without thought and rarely with interruption. Midnight found the crews still working tirelessly and getting close to completing the repairs after a full day of back-breaking service. As a community, we are grateful for their dedication.

On August 30, many of our residents were awakened around 1:00 a.m. to a mountainside fire that was practically in their backyards. That evening, the residents and I spent close to three hours together while they recalled how they were alerted to the fast-approaching flames. Some were notified via the City's CodeRED calling system, others by a knock on their door from first respondent crews, and still others from their neighborhood calling tree. (I encourage each of you to update your telephone with the city offices so you can receive those CodeRED calls if needed. Many people have dropped home land lines and the City doesn't have a current phone number for them. Sign up/update your info at www.centervilleut.net - see ad on page 5). Local, federal and various officials from other jurisdictions did an incredible job fighting back the blazes and preventing further property loss. While three homes were destroyed, many more could have been lost or damaged. As I visited those most affected, it was amazing to see how upbeat the fire victims were and heart warming to learn of the acts of service that took place.

In my last message I stressed the importance of our election system. Now, I express the importance of learning about the candidates. Please, don't just take a neighbor's word. Each candidate's profile and phone number is listed on our website at www.centervilleut.net. Learn for yourself.

I want to hear from you! Many have reached out, but I would love to hear from more of you.



I drive around our City all the time but I can't catch every problem or every good deed. Please call or write or both. We are blessed to live in a wonderful place!

Sincerely, Clark A. Wilkinson,
Mayor



Centerville Cares will be hosting the Powerful Brain Healthy Body program every
Wednesday night 6:30-8:00 p.m. from October 30 – November 20.

This program is designed to help you redefine your physical, mental and emotional health through creating behavioral, nutritional and lifestyle habits.

On Tuesday, November 5, at 7:00 p.m. at Viewmont High School, Ben Kjar will be speaking on resiliency, accomplishing hard tasks and functioning in today's world.

Please go to www.centervilleut.com to register.



November 5, 2019 Municipal Election - Voter Information

You should receive your ballot in the mail in October. Remember, ballots must be returned in the provided return envelope. There are three ways to vote:

- Mail your ballot to Davis County no later than Monday, November 1, 2019.
- November 5, 2019 - Centerville's Election Day polling location will be at the Centerville Library, 45 South 450 West. Polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Remember to bring valid identification.
- Through Monday, November 4, ballots may be dropped off at Centerville City Hall (or any city office in Davis County) during regular business hours 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
A ballot box will be located inside City Hall, make sure to put your ballot in the Voting Drop Box and **NOT** in the drop box found in the parking lot.

More information on voting can be found at www.davisvotes.com.

On the Ballot for City Council

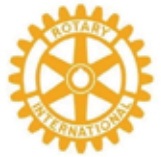
Candidate Information:

Karen Argyle*
Cory Lynn Bluemel
George McEwan
Robyn Thompson Mecham
Paul Roberts
William (Bill) Ince

*Karen Argyle has withdrawn from the election

For more information on each candidate please visit vote.utah.gov or the Davis County Website.

Centerville / Farmington Rotary Club



The Centerville/Farmington Rotary Club will be hosting a Meet the Candidates breakfast meeting at Centerville City Hall on Thursday, October 10th, starting at 6:50 a.m. and ending at 8:00 a.m. There will be no charge for breakfast.

**Centerville Police Department
5th Annual
Night Out Against Crime**

Wear to scare and ride your broomsticks to join the Centerville Police Department for a Boo-tiful night of safety and fun!

Thursday, October 31, 2019
6:00-8:30 p.m.
The Community Park 1350 N 400 W

The ghoulish event will include:
Fire Truck, Ambulance, Command Vehicle,
Helicopter, Police K-9, BAT-Mobile,
SWAT Vehicle, DUI Risk Demonstration,
and KC the Remote-Controlled Crime
Fighting Dog!

It wouldn't be Halloween without free candy, glow sticks, free gun locks and much more!

Island View Park Renovation

Island View Park will be closed through spring of 2020 for renovations that will include a new playground, tennis court(s), restroom, sidewalk/walking paths and other amenities. Go to www.centervilleut.net for further information.



Cemetery Cleanup

The first week of November is one of the three times a year that all grave decorations that have been left in the cemetery are collected and discarded in order to clean up before going into winter.

Cemetery visitors are asked to please help our maintenance staff by collecting all grave decorations before the first of November. There are black trash cans on the north side of the restroom building that may be used to discard weathered decorations if needed.

Thank you for your help keeping our cemetery beautiful! To view the complete cemetery ordinance, go to: www.centervilleut.net and click on **Parks**, then **Cemetery**, then **Regulations**.



Come join us for our annual "Pumpkin Walk!"

On **Monday, October 28**, bring your carved pumpkin to display and compete with your neighbors. Event will be held at Smith (Founders) Park, 300 North 100 East.

Contestant categories will be: Cutest, Best Design, Scariest, Funniest and Anything Goes. Drop off your carved pumpkins from **5:00 to 5:30 p.m.** Candles provided for contestant pumpkins. Take the walk and come view the talent of your neighbors from **7:00 to 8:30 p.m.** Hot chocolate available. **Prizes awarded at 8:15 p.m.** The Pumpkin Walk is hosted by the Centerville City Youth Council.

For questions call Lisa Summers at 801-295-3477.

Festival of Lights

Come enjoy a night of music, lights, and baked goods! This year's Festival of Lights will be held

Monday, December 2
6:00 p.m.
at Smith (Founders) Park
300 N. 100 E.

Come for the cookies and hot chocolate, stay for the local school choirs' performances.

The Youth Council will host a bake sale to help families in our community for Christmas. What's more, Santa Claus will be making an appearance!



New Historic Centerville CEMETERY TOUR

sponsored by The Whitaker - Centerville Heritage Museum

Authorized by
Paul T. Smith

Tour Guides
Bruce Smith, Jeanne Randall



OCT 8TH ~ 7 PM
OCT 12TH ~ 11 AM

Free Event / Reservation Required
Reservations Taken Sep 16 until filled
(12 and older)

Museum Director Lisa Sommer • 801.335.8843 or whitaker@centervilleut.com

Santa Claus is coming to town!

Please
join us

Santa Claus is coming to visit boys and girls

Take a picture with Santa between
4:00pm and 6:00pm

TUESDAYS

DEC 3, 10, 17

168 No. Main St.



The Whitaker
Centerville's Historic Museum

Invites you to come
and enjoy an old
fashioned Christmas

The first three
Tuesdays in December

music, treat, craft

10:00a.m. - 6:00p.m.

Centerville Thanks You!



Centerville City would like to thank **Nathan Pitt, Brigham Pitt, Noah Robbins** and those that helped them to paint and clean over 50 fire hydrants in the City for an Eagle Scout project.



The Whitaker would like to thank the **Redd family** for their many years of service and supervision of The Whitaker Community Gardens. Erin and Brian have overseen the planting and

care of the 30-plus gardens that are rented each season. This includes organizing the delivery of Oakdell compost which is generously donated by the Oakdell Farms Corporation each year for garden use. Their vigilance and care of the gardens is greatly appreciated, and we thank them for making this asset available to those who love to garden and don't have available land.

The Whitaker Willow Tree



The Whitaker Board is sad to announce that the willow tree in the front yard must be removed. A meeting was held with an arborist, a tree service and Centerville Parks Department head, Bruce Cox. They found that the interior of the tree is dead and the tree is becoming a safety hazard. We will miss the 60-year-old tree and the wonderful shade it has provided over the years.

Overnight Winter Parking

Overnight parking is restricted during the winter. This enables the Public Works department to clear streets of snow. In adherence to Centerville City code 14.06.010 "No person shall park a vehicle on any street within the jurisdiction of Centerville City during the period from December 1st through March 31st, between the hours of 12:00 midnight and 6:00 a.m." Vehicles parked for more than one hour between 12:00 midnight and 6:00 a.m. on a public street may be issued citations. The term "vehicle" includes, but is not limited to cars, trucks, boats, motor homes or any type of trailer. Exceptions will be made for the reasons approved by the Police Chief.

Fall Leaves and Winter Snow

With fall upon us and winter on its way, let's talk about cleaning up your yard. When you're raking up leaves or using a handy leaf blower, make sure to keep the leaves on your property. It is prohibited to place any non-stormwater material (this includes leaves and other yard debris) in the gutters or other stormwater conveyance systems as set forth in **Municipal Code 16.04.050 Dumping**.

When the weather turns, and it is time to shovel walks and driveways, the same rule applies. Snow blow/shovel snow onto your property and not into the street. This helps keep our streets clean and our gutters flowing properly.

Change a Life
Become a Reading Mentor Volunteer



Davis Co. Retired & Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP)



Seeking volunteers, age 55+ to serve as Reading Mentors in elementary schools throughout Davis County. Programs begin late September.

ENROLL TODAY!
801-525-5052
RSVP@daviscountyutah.gov



Many thanks to the Centerville Public Works Department and crews for their tireless efforts in clearing mud and debris when a waterline ruptured on Main St. and 1200 North on July 11.

STEWART ELEMENTARY NEEDS

SUPER STARS LIKE YOU

TO MENTOR A CLASSROOM FOR OUR NEW "SUPER STARS" PROGRAM

"We cannot always
build the future for
our youth, but we
can build our youth
for the future."

— Franklin D.
Roosevelt

WOULD YOU LIKE TO?

- ★ UTILIZE YOUR FREE TIME TO MAKE A LASTING DIFFERENCE?
- ★ NURTURE RELATIONSHIPS WITHIN YOUR COMMUNITY?
- ★ SHARE YOUR TALENT, ENERGY, AND WISDOM?
- ★ GAIN A FRIEND...OR A WHOLE CLASSROOM OF FRIENDS?
- ★ EXPERIENCE AN INCREDIBLE AMOUNT OF JOY WHILE DOING ALL OF THE ABOVE?

If you are willing to be loved and appreciated by a classroom of students, this opportunity is for you! Stewart Elementary is starting a new "Super Stars" program to engage students with members of our community who may have some free time. Partnering with Mayor Wilkinson's Centerville Cares initiative, our hope is to engage at every age through intergenerational relationships.

There are several benefits to nurturing relationships across generations. Seniorcommunity.org shares:

- ✓ It helps children to be less ageist as they get older if they spend time with older adults
- ✓ It can prevent isolation and loneliness in older adults
- ✓ It provides a perfect opportunity for young and old to learn from one another
- ✓ It builds a stronger community
- ✓ It gives older adults a sense of purpose and helps younger generations have a great respect for and value of older adults
- ✓ It helps keep stories and history alive within families and the greater community

Intergenerational relationships are beneficial physically, mentally, and emotionally for everyone involved!

If you have interest, or if you know someone in Centerville who might be interested in becoming a Super Star volunteer, please visit our city website (centervilleut.net) and click on the **SUPER STARS** link for more information.

To become a Super Star volunteer, you will

- 1) obtain clearance through the Davis County School District;
- 2) establish parameters of free time/flexibility that work for you;
- 3) cooperate with a teacher to support classroom learning, relationship building, and fun!

2020 Ski School

Registration for the 2020 ski season begins November 4. Ski School starts the first week of January, and runs for five weeks. Register in person only at City Hall - office hours M-F 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. November 4 registration date is for Centerville residents only. If there are still openings by December 4, registration will be open to non-residents. Contact Lisa Summers at 801-295-3477 with questions.



Snowplows and Cul-de-sacs



Just a reminder – Cul-de-sacs will not be plowed unless there has been four inches of snow fall. Cul-de-sacs and dead-end streets may be plowed the next business day.

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Centerville City Website:

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City Council Meetings:

1st & 3rd Tuesdays • 7 pm • City Hall

Planning Commission Meetings:

2nd & 4th Wednesdays • 7 pm • City Hall



Keeping citizens informed.

Receive notifications about emergency evacuations, boil water notices, and missing child reports. Sign up at: centervilleut.com

Centerville Calendar

October 8, 7:00 p.m.	Historic Cemetery Tour
October 10, 6:50 a.m.	Rotary Club Meet the Candidates
October 12, 11:00 a.m.	Historic Cemetery Tour
October 28, 7-8:30 p.m.	Pumpkin Walk
October 31, 6:00 p.m.	Night Out Against Crime
November 1	Last day to mail election ballots
November 4	Last day to drop ballots at City Hall
	Ski School registration starts
November 5	Election Day
Nov. 9 - Dec. 21	"It's a Wonderful Life"
	Live Radio Play at Centerpoint Legacy Theatre
November 11	City offices closed for Veterans Day
Nov. 20 - Dec. 21	"Holiday Inn"
	at Centerpoint Legacy Theatre
November 28 - 29	City offices closed for Thanksgiving
December 2, 6:00 p.m.	Festival of Lights
December 25	City offices closed for Christmas

UTA South Davis Flex Bus Route

UTA F605 Flex Route Bus for Bountiful, Centerville and Woods Cross can quickly connect you to the Woods Cross train station, hospitals, restaurants, theaters, parks, recreation centers and schools every 30 minutes.

Visit any of our 45 stops Monday thru Friday from 6:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Plus, connect with your favorite local 470 and 455 routes. Call ahead at 801-287-7433 to see if UTA can pick you up or drop you off from your home or business.

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Peter and the Starcatcher JAN 17 - FEB 15	MUSIC MAN MAR 13 - APR 11	NEWSIES JUN 12 - JUL 18
Sister Act AUG 7 - SEP 5	THE SCARLET PIMPERNEL SEP 25 - OCT 24	A Christmas Story NOV 18 - DEC 19

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